

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

THE CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL	:	Life-Cycle 2011
INVESTIGATION INTO THE	:	
LIFE-CYCLE COSTS OF ELECTRIC	:	
TRANSMISSION LINES	:	August 23, 2011

MOTION OF THE UNITED ILLUMINATING COMPANY
FOR PARTY STATUS

The United Illuminating Company (“UI”) hereby moves to be designated as a party in this proceeding. In support of this motion, UI states as follows:

1. UI is a specially chartered Connecticut corporation, with its principal office at 157 Church Street, New Haven, Connecticut. UI is a public service company and an electric distribution service company as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 16-1.
2. UI provides transmission, distribution and bundled electricity service to customers in seventeen (17) municipalities in the State of Connecticut.
3. Connecticut General Statutes §16-50r(b) requires the Council to establish a proceeding to investigate and determine life-cycle costs for both overhead and underground transmission line alternatives, relative reliability, constraints concerning access and construction, potential damage to the environment and compatibility with the existing electric supply system. As one of the two electric distribution companies in Connecticut, UI’s participation in this docket will provide the Council with information necessary for the Council to investigate and determine the life-cycle costs for both overhead and underground transmission line alternatives.

4. UI seeks full rights as a party in this proceeding, including the rights to participate in the Council's hearing, introduce evidence, present and cross-examine witnesses and submit written argument.
5. UI's participation in this proceeding is in the public interest, and good cause exists to grant this motion. UI's participation will promote the interests of justice and will not impair the orderly conduct of the proceeding.
6. Correspondence and other communications in regard to this matter should be served upon the following persons:

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Respectfully submitted,

THE UNITED ILLUMINATING COMPANY

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CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that on this 23rd day of August, 2011, an original of the foregoing will be delivered by hand to The Connecticut Siting Council, 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051, and one (1) copy will be mailed, postage prepaid or e-mailed on this day to all other known parties and intervenors.

Bruce L. McDermott